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District Court Sitting in Blaimore

A sitting of the District Court was held in Blaimore on Wednesday, presided over by Judge Green of Medicine Hat. Most of the day was occupied in hearing the case of the West Canadian Collieries vs. Laik Bros. This was a claim by the W.C.C. Co. against Laik Bros. for \$200, being balance claimed to be due on account of light and rent in connection with the Crystal Dairy property prior to November the 1st last. Laik Bros. admitted the amount, but submitted a counter-claim for \$200 on account of a bad lot in a cave on the above company's property near Blaimore in October, 1917. This bill was a purchased short-horn, six-year-old, and valued at over \$200, and in some unaccountable manner strayed from the feed near Blaimore and landed into a cave, where it died of suffocation. J. E. Gillis appeared for the Company, while G. M. Thompson, of Pincher Creek, represented Laik Bros. Evidence for complaint was taken from Eugene Large, master mechanic. Eugene Large, owner, based on Louis P. Robert, mining engineer, and John R. Smith, sales agent of all the West Canadian Collieries, while Freeman Laik and David Oliver were heard for the defense. After hearing the evidence, His Honor decided to reserve judgment.

Another case heard on Wednesday, but not completed, was that of the estate of the late Mrs. William J. Cole, of Blaimore. This was an action taken by Mrs. Rudt to recover the sum of \$300, the amount of an agreement entered into with W. J. Cole for the purchase of a heating plant which had gone through the big Bellevue fire on August the 28th last. From the evidence we gathered the following: That last fall Mr. Cole was approached by Mrs. Rudt, who proposed for the sale of the heating system of the old Southern hotel, and without thoroughly examining the property an agreement was entered into whereby Mr. Cole was to purchase the outfit for the sum of \$300, half of which was to

be paid at that date and the balance \$150 to Alex. Morency and \$80 to Mrs. Rudt at a later date. The morning after the contract had been entered into, Cole examined his purchase and discovered that two sections of the furnace were not as represented to him. He immediately proceeded to the Union Bank to stop payment of the cheque, and wrote Mrs. Rudt at Lethbridge, informing her that he had cancelled the agreement and stopped payment of the cheque. To this letter he received no reply and nothing more until present proceedings were instituted. Now Mrs. Rudt produces the original copy of agreement and the cheque, both of which bear Cole's signature, and demands that the agreement should be lived up to. Witnesses were heard for both sides, and the case was adjourned in order to gather further evidence. J. E. Gillis appeared for complainant, and D. MacKenzie, of Macleod, for defendant.

A couple of small-debt cases were heard and disposed of, in which Thomas Cole and J. E. Gillis appeared for complainant and defendant respectively.



WILLIAM JOHN EVANS
Third son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O. Evans, of Blaimore, now a prisoner of war in Germany.

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Cowley Military Y.M.C.A.

Union Bank of Canada,
Cowley, Alta., May 29, 1918.
The Editor
The Blaimore Enterprise,
Blaimore, Alberta.

Dear Sir:

Will you kindly insert in next publication of your paper the results of the recent Y.M.C.A. Campaign in Cowley and surrounding districts, as follows—

The Committee in charge of this campaign wish to extend their thanks to the public spirited citizens who contributed and also gave their time and care and aided generally in making the campaign a success. The following districts gave most loyalty and are deserving of special mention: Cowley, Lundbreck, North Fork, Mayfield, Livingstone, Temnossee and Tanager. The following amounts resulted:

Total number of Subscribers 105
Amount of Subscriptions \$1,344.50
Amount paid in Cash 1,065.50
Balance pledges to be paid 279.00
The names and addresses of those who have subscribed have been forwarded to the District Headquarters at Calgary.

Thanking you in anticipation, I remain, yours very truly,
B. O. Monow,
Secretary-Treasurer,
Cowley District.

Inspector Torrie was in Blaimore on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Frank Military Y.M.C.A.

Following is a list of contributors to the Military Y.M.C.A., through the Frank Branch of the campaign, totaling \$245.05, and acknowledged by the treasurer, Mr. J. J. Murray:

Subscription Subscribers—Malina, Co. \$1.00; E. Donkin, \$2.00; J. Vysodil \$1.00; E. Weir, J. Horn, V. Biecha, E. Polunsky, M. Soukka, E. Horvath, J. Ruzicko, E. Maler, E. Dypala, H. Novotny, N. Morris, L. Slach, M. Panick, M. Mann, R. Kroll, J. Lejek, \$1.00 each; J. Gasmko, 75 cents; F. Andel, J. Neumayr, F. Huml, F. Ehl, A. Pech, A. Cerny, R. Cerny, J. Jilek, M. Jernack, T. Ruck, F. Jilek, E. Cerny, V. Andrick, T. Chalonska, C. Shagaj, J. Rozac, C. Clack, V. Uendlerky, F. Rozda, E. Herman, V. Spisak, F. Slopek, F. Vysok, J. Wagner, S. Novakovic, J. Bachara, J. Motil, J. Potazak, M. Potich, F. Patara, F. Namara, V. Kouty, V. Radica, M. Janus, J. Morin, J. Malec, G. Urbaca, 50 cents each; K. Zemek, J. Weber, K. Holub, J. Techinsky, T. Patara, V. Kroll, E. Fick, 25 cents each; F. Kunder \$1.20; proceeds of Bohemian dance of May 29th \$16.25—Total \$61.85.

The following citizens of Frank contributed to the fund: John Brown \$10.00, Capt. Hunt, Capt. Ritchie, J. J. Murray, M. Blah, G. Putnam, C. J. Tompkins, Wm. Cameron, H. Cameron, H. Moore, C. Rice, A. L. Blah, T. W. Moore, \$5.00 each; I. Murdoch, Rev. W. T. Young, James Taylor, A. Shering, Miss Coughlin, Lake Lincolne, \$3.00 each; Mrs. Jolly, Mrs. Coughlin, A. Moe, T. J. Murray, "Mole" Coughlin, Mar. J. Foy, Alvin Young, A. Erickson, D. Astley, A. Chenski, \$2.00 each; A. Hrus, \$1.50; T. Munk, \$1.50; C. C. Safford \$2.00, sundry donations \$75.00, \$5.

It is estimated that over 3,000 acres of potatoes are dug down annually to provide material for feed plants.

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Flour and Foot Powder Got Mixed
and Soldiers Had Good
Cause to Complain

With the American Army in Lorraine, April 4, the mail—"When flour won't 'bake,' won't 'pie,' won't 'doughnut,' won't even 'bunget' it, and there it all, won't 'spatlet,' there must be something the matter with it.

And when you've ordered a ton of trench-foot powder and it hasn't arrived, and more cases of "trench feet" are coming in, and your nose is running and the roof demanding the powder, and you can't get it again there must be something the matter.

Two capsules with these two lines of trouble in mind met recently. One was a captain in the quartermaster corps. The other was stationed at the front.

Captain X opened the conversation. He told of his trench-foot powder troubles. The particular powder he had ordered was the best thing for trench feet that had been found—but he could not get it for some mysterious reason.

Captain Y came back with his hands full of powder in a bush of thorns and had a can of powder with him from everybody from the company cook to the front civilian and the salvation.

Now, everybody was trying to mix it with other flour to see if it would work.

"The stuff simply won't do nothing that flour ought to do," was his final cry.

A light flashed in the eye of Captain X.

"What does this flour of yours look like?"

"Just flour."

"But are you sure it's flour?"

"I've never so analyzed with my mouth but I take it as such."

Captain X was lost on the trail.

"I've never got so mixed up in my life."

"I'll be a horse," he asked at the quarter-master.

"How much have you sold?"

"Winged just sell it to you." How can you get it back, and get it back, and get it back?

"There was a dash to the side of the remaining flour."

Captain X nearly embraced it.

Just then again from the Italian mission appeared. He explained that they had had visions of a "very good" flour.

Just then, he added in effect, that with all respect to the American's flour, it wouldn't "spatlet."

There came a man from a new report.

In a few minutes there was a line, and everyone carrying a package of powder.

Now, this would be a good thing, but it was a very poor one.

As many buyers, Captain X was fretting over how it was to be gotten back.

Captain Y looked at the line, and concluded:

"I don't think I'll be long getting all your flour to powder back and I won't have to go after it either."

No Tickets On Trains

Beginning May 22nd no tickets will be issued on C.P.R. or G.T.P. trains.

Travellers from the Canadian Pacific Railway Board want to effect that morning, and notices to that effect are posted in conspicuous places. The order further states before the passenger may board the train all tickets must be present.

Instructions also state that the payment of cash fares leaving the station must be made, calling the attention of the passengers to the new rule.

This rule has been in effect for some time, but has not been rigidly enforced outside of some of the larger depots.

At the C.P.R. station in Calgary there is no admittance through the gate to trains unless tickets are produced, but at some of the smaller stations, or at stations where there are no gates, it has been the custom for late passengers to catch the train at the last moment and secure tickets on board.

In future this conduct will be allowed to sell no tickets, and will have no other alternative in the matter than to get the passenger off the next station. This will not apply to stations where the companies have no agents, as travellers from these parts must of necessity purchase their tickets on the train.

The same order provides that all travellers on trains, except the passenger, passengers entering or leaving trains, must be closed while the trains are standing at stations.

In connection with the offer of W. A. Beebe, mentioned in our last issue, a slight change has occurred.

W. A. Beebe offered the town clerk to take 1 to 6 in block 8, and lots 5 to 10 in block 8, all in plan 3319-1, in consideration of rebate of taxes on lots 1 to 4 in block 8, plan 3319-1. The taxes due on the 18 lots amount to \$1437.76, while the twelve lots offered are assessed at \$2875.00. This matter will be considered at a meeting of the council on Thursday, June 15th.

Sailors' Week to Be Observed Throughout Alberta

Commencing On the King's Birthday,
June 3rd, and End-
ing June 8th

Arrangements are being made throughout the Province of Alberta for a Sailors' Week, commencing on the King's Birthday, June 3rd, and ending on the 8th with a Tag Day.

During the week a general appeal will be made to all citizens, men, women and children to put their something towards assisting the Navy League of Canada in carrying out the Widows and Orphans of the men of the Navy and the Merchant Service as well. The committee in charge of arrangements hope to raise at least \$150,000 in Alberta.

Very little to date has been done in Alberta for the Sailors, particularly those of the Merchant Service. The Navy League of England and the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry have undertaken to care for the widows, children and dependents of the men of the Navy who live in the home of the Empire, and will endeavor to educate their children and give them a good start in life. The League is also looking after sailors' homes, schools, institutes, asylums, missions, etc.

The Navy League of Canada is arranging to erect a building at Halifax, N.S., for the sailors at a cost of \$100,000, and has also contributed \$20,000 to assist the homes on the Pacific Coast and the Great Lakes, besides sending \$10,000 per month to the various institutions in England. Already the League has forwarded \$30,000—\$25,000 for the Navy men and \$5,000 for the Merchant Service. There is a greater work to be done and the League is urgently appealed.

The Sailors of the Navy saved the Empire. It is largely through the work of the Navy that Canada is British today.

It is largely through the work of the Navy that the Farmers of this country are enabled to obtain the present price for their wheat.

Without the Navy no food could cross the Atlantic, our boys in France could not be fed, and no transports, either from Canada or the United States, could be forwarded.

Anyone wishing to contribute can forward to the Editor of this paper, or to the National Headquarters, 1000 Bankers' Building, Montreal, or to the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to the Navy League.

In view of the rapid expansion during recent years of available Crown Lands in close proximity to the railways, a charge which has been appropriated to the recreation in the interest of soldier settlement, the Government has decided to make available a line of frontage property in the interior of the Province of the Interior the listing of the names and addresses of the owners of those quarter sections of land and surrounding lands which are being donated so far as agricultural production is concerned, the presumption being that in a number of cases the owners would be interested from either a financial or patriotic point of view in offers on the part of prospective settlers to purchase or lease their holdings.

The vital necessity for increasing the acreage under crop makes it essential that assistance be rendered by all agencies that might be instrumental in assisting the "back to the land" movement.

One of the most difficult and costly expressions attributed to Napoleon that "an army travels upon its stomach" is being emphasized more and more in the "Great War" progresses, no better argument could possibly be advanced as to the imperative need for increasing crop production which of course entails an immediate increase in the acreage under crop.

The lists are available for distribution through the various land districts throughout the Provinces of Manitoba and Saskatchewan, those for Alberta to follow at an early date. Applicants should state the district in which they are interested when making application to the National Resources Intelligence Branch of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa.

Casualties in the British ranks reported during the month of May reached a total of 166,802. The losses were divided as follows:

Killed or died of wounds, officers 1536, men 20,518; wounded or missing, officers 6182, men 138,566.

British casualties reported may be weak have recently been coming down the forty thousand mark, evidently representing the losses sustained during the heavy fighting that started with the beginning of the German offensive in April.

The total reported during April was only 52,475, the lists did not begin to reflect fully the effects of the casualties sustained in resisting the German thrusts in Picardy and Flanders until the beginning of May.

A branch of the Next-of-Kin Association has been formed at Coleman.

Howe—Farrow

The following is excerpted from the Suffolk Chronicle of May the 3rd. Colonel Howe is second son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Howe, of Blimere.

On Sunday the wedding of Corporal Daniel Joseph Howe, of the Canadian Dragoons, to Miss Blanche Iris Farrow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Farrow, of White House, Crowfield, took place the parish church in that village. The bride who was attired in grey costume with hat to match, was given away by her father. She carried a bunch of lilies, and was attended by Miss Doris Barrell, of Bideford, (cousin of the bridegroom), as bridesmaid. She wore a purple velvet costume, with light tulle and also a gold bangle, the gift of the bridegroom. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. A. S. Large, vicar of the parish of Crowfield. Mr. Alfred Emerson, of Bideford, acted as best man. The presents, which were numerous, included a dressing case, the gift of the bridegroom to the bride, who presented him with a silver cigarette case. The wedding cake came from Coleman. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The bridegroom is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Howe, who prevails to emigrate to Canada, lived at Bideford.

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Every pound of food saved by a Canadian citizen is a pound given to the support of our army and our allies. Every pound wasted or carelessly thrown away is a pound withheld.

Lloyd George says that victory in the war has developed into a race between Hindenburg and President Wilson. Let us back Wilson with every ounce of energy.—Ex.

A British steamer, having on board 390 civilians and one hundred soldiers, N.C.O.s, and men of the Canadian expeditionary force, arrived at an Atlantic port on Wednesday morning.

The British transport Leasowe Castle, 9,787 tons, has been sunk by an enemy submarine in the Mediterranean, with a loss of 101 lives, including 18 military officers and 79 soldiers of other ranks.

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The Fernie Amateur Dramatic Club will present "What Happened to Jones" at the Coleman opera house on Wednesday next, June 5th. The above club contains some excellent talent and will no doubt draw a good house.

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Boys enrolled as farm helpers in the "Soldiers of the Soil" movement, under the auspices of the Canada Food Board, are doing good work with seedling. In Ontario 15,000 boys have been enrolled; in Manitoba over 1,000 are at work in Saskatchewan 1,100, in Alberta 624, in British Columbia 540, in Nova Scotia 1,896, in Quebec over 1,000.

The concrete ship "Faith," first of her kind to be built at San Francisco, is speeding over the measured mile course at the Golden Gate. Her test was a signal victory for the advocates of the stone ship, for she exceeded all expectations on her trial trip. She averaged more than 10 knots without difficulty, and is expected to do better than 11 later on. Another welcome disclosure on the trip was the surprising lack of vibration found by the experts who were on board.

Pincher Creek's municipal tax rate for 1918 will be 70 mills.

Official announcement has been made that 280,000 men will be called to the colors in the United States during June.

The Germans, in their reprisals against peasant disorders in the Ukraine, have destroyed several villages near Kiev with gas.

Rev. W. T. Young will likely take up his duties as pastor of Central Union church on Sunday, June 9th, on which date the union of Sunday schools will take place.

There were 1490 publications in Canada, before R. L. Norman quit publishing the Coleman Bulletin.

Of the above number 135 were issued daily, 1017 weekly, and The Bulletin occasionally.

Arrangements have been made between the governments of the United States and Canada for an interchange of farm laborers. Several thousand have already entered the Canadian west under this arrangement.

Local and General

Major Wallace Sharpe has returned to Calgary from overseas.

Last month the payroll in Trail, B.C., was very close to \$140,000.

Monday next, the King's birthday, will be observed as a public holiday.

W. S. Black will have charge of the service at Central Union church on Sunday evening.

Major Joe, having purchased a new wagon, will no longer be troubled with searickness.

Fifteen candidates were initiated into Vulcan Encampment of the I.O.O.F. on Monday evening last.

Sarah Bernhardt is now in Winnipeg, and we understand is booked to appear in Blairmore sometime in June.

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This is the time of the year to make your old weather-worn house look like a palace by applying a couple of coats of paint. One dollar spent in paint will bring you back ten dollars in appearance and self respect.

At the Masonic convention, held in Edmonton this week, it was decided to establish a benefit fund similar to that established last year by the Oddfellows, for the relief of dependents of members' wives.



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OF LOCAL AND GENERAL INTEREST

J. W. Verge returned to Milk River by Sunday night's train.

It is to be made compulsory that six-year-olds be educated to school after the summer holidays.

Leont W. Turner left on Monday night's train for Toronto, and expects to go overseas very shortly.

Mr. Alex. McFegan came down from Drumheller on Wednesday on a visit to her father, Mr. K. K. McFegan.

Mr. D. Dunlop, senior, is down from Calgary this week, on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Andrew Dunlop.

Miss Margaret Patterson, after spending the week end with her parents, returned to Tool Creek on Sunday last.

Miss L. M. Perkins spent the week end with friends in Blairmore, and returned to Lethbridge on Sunday night.

The application for exemption from Messrs P. Malletto and W. Oliver, of Blairmore, have been disallowed.

Private Isaac Laughed slipped into town "unaware" by Sunday morning's train. He is looking forward and states that it makes no matter how old a man is, he feels younger after venturing overseas.

PIGS—Whenever you want a pair of little Pigs, or any number of little pigs for that matter, drop a line to Charles E. Klett, "Crows' Nest Pass Dairy Farm, Cowley, Alberta.

"Bluebird Day" at the Blairmore Opera House on Thursday, June 6th, brings Franklyn Farnum to present "The Scarlet Car," a thrilling reflection of romance and adventure founded on the best story of the late Richard Harding Davis ever wrote. Life in an American town, spiced with unusual adventure and surprising happenings, will be depicted in fast moving scenes of gripping interest.

Mr. Woolard, of Saskatchewan, has arrived at Coleman to resurrect the Coleman Bulletin, and we understand that the paper under the new management will appear this week end. We understand, also, that Mr. Woolard has had considerable experience in the newspaper game and maintains a good reputation, and it is to be hoped that under his leadership the many problems that have been pressed upon the good people of Coleman by the late "guide" will be overcome and that the confidence and support of the people of that community will be restored.

At a meeting of the Crows' Nest Pass Automobile Association, on Tuesday evening, it was decided to join the Alberta Motor League. It was also decided to send a delegate to Edmonton immediately to bring pressure to bear upon the government regarding the necessity for attention to the road through the Pass. The secretary was in receipt of a communication from Mr. Robinson and also from the secretary of the Alberta Motor League, both stating that it was the purpose of the Government to pay some special attention to the interprovincial highway throughout this district, and that work would start soon. As to the Dominion government's appropriation of a large sum of money to be spent on this highway from Medicine Hat to the B.C. boundary, it is felt that this money will be forthcoming and that the programme arranged by the government for this year includes the grading of a great portion of this interprovincial road.

Private J. D. Petrie, of Cowley, is reported ill in this week's casualty lists.

WANTED—A Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. Chapell, Blairmore.

The 78th Depot battery left Calgary on Monday night for Peta, wawa, for summer training.

When the leaders of a country have wheels in their heads revolutions are a natural result.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cleland and party of friends motored up from Cowley on Sunday last.

S. Jensen and family left on Friday morning last for Vancouver, where they will reside in future.

Rev. W. F. Young left for Edmonton on Sunday night last, where he will attend the annual Methodist conference.

Hawaiian sugar is to be refined in Canada. Some day we may have the sugar to put marmos from the same source through a similar process.

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Rev. Dr. J. T. Ferguson, superintendent of Presbyterian missions, spent last week end in The Pass, and met the Union Church congregation after the close of the regular service on Sunday night last.

The wool clip in Alberta increased from 500,000 pounds in 1914 to 2,086,000 pounds in 1917, with an advance in price from 16c to 47c a pound. This year Alberta exports to lead all the provinces in the volume of this product.

Messrs Brown and Roe, who were arrested last week near Michel while accompanying a quantity of booze towards Alberta, appeared before a J.P. at Fernie on Saturday and were each fined \$75 and costs for having booze in their possession and \$10 for not having the necessary auto license.

The boxing exhibition given at the opera house on Friday night last proved a good means of entertainment. Most of the ladies of the town, however, were conspicuous by their absence. The main bout was between Kid Stafford, of Lethbridge, and Sam Saunders, of Vancouver, and for a six-round go was fairly fast. Stafford showed good training and gave evidence of laying a punch worth while, and his opponent displayed good physical development and a good sound punch, but was considerably out of trim for such a bout. The affair was well patronized and the promoters are convinced that similar entertainments should be staged from time to time.

Blairmore Red Cross

The following subscriptions in the Red Cross funds are thankfully acknowledged for the month of April:
From Mrs. J. J. Peterson \$4.25
From Melrose Lumber Co. \$8.00

Total: \$122.25
The brass kettle, which was displayed in P. M. Thompson Co's window, was won by Mrs. J. J. Peterson. She has recently donated it again and will be the highest bidder. The sum of eleven dollars was realized from the sale of tickets. Please make your offer early.

C. P. Nelson, is putting a new roof on the local P. Burns store.

George Patten and Albert Egan left for Calgary Tuesday night, where they will enlist with the flying corps.

Dr. R. K. Little returned from Edmonton last week end, where he had been gathering some new ideas about Masonry.

Franklyn Farnum, the popular star of "The Clock," "The Clean Up," "Anything Once," and other Bluebird Photo-Plays, is coming to the Blairmore Opera House on Thursday, June 6th, when "The Scarlet Car," another Bluebird, will be presented. The story is one of the best from the pen of Richard Harding Davis, war correspondent, novelist and short story writer, whose superior in his particular field of fiction America has not produced.

Corp. David Kemp returned from Calgary on Wednesday morning. We learn that Corporal Kemp has been granted an honorable discharge from military service. He is one of the many men of this locality who have experienced a full share of the brunt of the conflict, and we welcome him back to home.

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